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## Amendments to the Specification:

Please amend without prejudice the Specification as follows:

Please amend the paragraph beginning at line 4 of page 7 as follows:

--Once the correct sliding window size has been determined using the steps described above the sliding window can be used during actual projection made by the software or model. Hence, when we run with an actual sliding window on another data set through the same sequence of cells, a sliding window of size 5 will be big enough to handle the values necessary in calculating the value sought. Any smaller window will be to too small.--.